

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address COMMISSIONER POR PATENTS PO Box 1450 Alexandra, Virginia 22313-1450 www.nepto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.	
10/822,747	04/13/2004	Robert G. Sanders	4021-0126PUS2	4591	
2020 BIRCH STEWART KOLASCH & BIRCH PO BOX 747			EXAM	EXAMINER	
			KURTZ, BENJAMIN M		
FALLS CHUF	RCH, VA 22040-0747		ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER	
			1797		
			NOTIFICATION DATE	DELIVERY MODE	
			05/08/2009	ELECTRONIC	

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

Notice of the Office communication was sent electronically on above-indicated "Notification Date" to the following e-mail address(es):

mailroom@bskb.com

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Ex parte ROBERT G. SANDERS

Application No. 10/822,747

Mailed: May 7, 2009

Before DELORES LOWE, Review Team Paralegal LOWE, Review Team Paralegal.

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was received electronically at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on April 15, 2008. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matter requiring attention prior to docketing is identified below:

On June 12, 2007, appellant filed an Appeal Brief. A review of the file reveals that claim 3, in the appendix of the Appeal Brief are not consistent as

Application No. 10/822,747

amended in the Amendment filed on February 12, 2007. Appropriate correction required.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the application is returned to the Examiner:

- 1) for correction of the Claims Appendix; and
- 2) for such further action as may be appropriate.

If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797.

/DAL/

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH P.O. BOX 747 FALLS CHURCH, VA 22040-0747